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KYZLYTU-URGA
PORTION OF A SOVIET
NORTH-SOUTH MICROWAVE
RELAY LINK

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SUBJECT

Kyzyltu - Urga Portion of a Soviet North - South Microwave Relay Link

A 225-nautical mile (nm) segment of a north-south microwave relay link between Kyzyltu and Urga which includes nine facilities (Items 1-9, Figure 1) has been identified on Mission [REDACTED]

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Facility 2 (Inset, Figure 1) is representative of all nine facilities. The accuracy of the geodetic locations of the facilities, listed below, is as follows: Facilities 1 and 2, mean error 2,770 feet, maximum error 3,400 feet; Facilities 3-5, mean error 1,200 feet, maximum error 1,900 feet; Facilities 6-9, approximate.

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1. 13 nm south of Kyzyltu at 47-33-43N 059-03-54E
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2. 6 nm southwest of Urdakongan at 47-05-46N 059-04-16E
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3. 34 nm west-northwest of Zhalanash at 46-37-43N 059-06-18E
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4. 15 nm north of Shomyshkol at 46-13-17N 058-17-24E
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5. 10 nm south-southwest of Shomyshkol at 45-47-42N 058-37-12E
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6. 21 nm north of Chiyla-Bulak at 45-08-10N 058-17-24E
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7. 12 nm north of Mys Aktumysyk at 44-44-31N 058-09-32E
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8. 5 nm west of Kabanbay at 44-00-29N 058-13-37E
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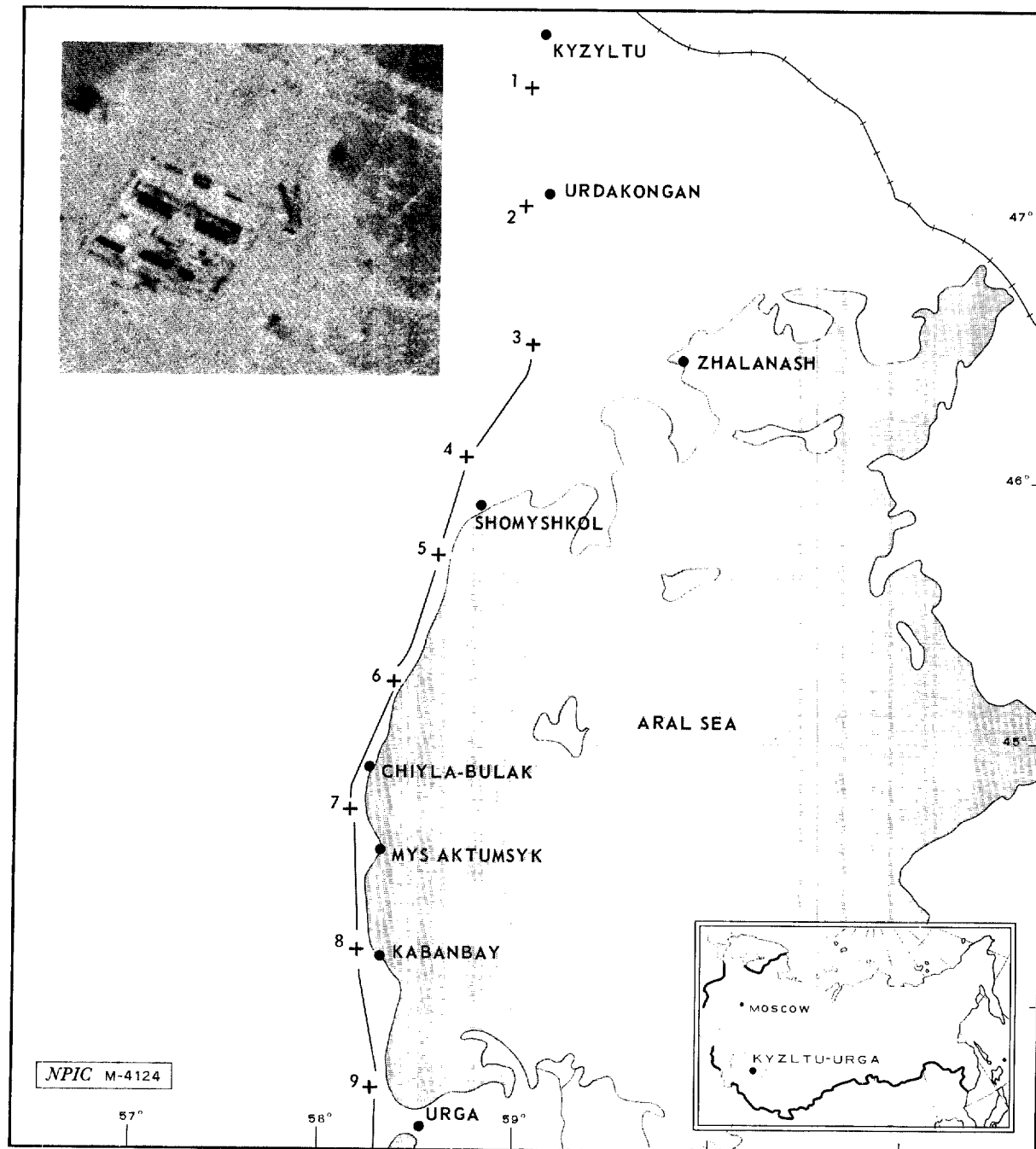
9. 13 nm northwest of Urga at 43-46-19N 058-15-36E

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Each secured facility consists of a single microwave tower and one support building. The small scale of available photography precludes identification of type and orientation of the microwave antennas.



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